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Here is the Ford Runabout, a perfect whirlwind of utility. Fits into the daily life of everybody, anywhere, everywhere, and all the time. For town and country, it is all that its name implies—a Runabout. Low in cost of operation; low in cost of maintenance, with all the sturdy strength, dependability and reliability for which Ford cars are noted. We'd be pleased to have your order for one or more. We have about everything in motor car accessories, and always have a full line of genuine Ford parts—give genuine Ford service.

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NEW EVENTS MARK THE FORTHCOMING OF HANCOCK CO. FAIR.

Fair Management Particularly Fortunate in Securing R. H. Pate, of A. & M. College, to Deliver Opening Address.

WILL ALSO JUDGE LIVE STOCK AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

Mr. Pate, a Competent Judge—Served Mississippi State Fair in Similar Capacity Two Years—Is Well Known Here.

The Hancock County Fair, to be placed in Bay St. Louis on October 9th and 10th, continues to be favored with new events almost daily, that are going to contribute to make the occasion more successful, pleasant and instructive.

"This is encouraging," says Mr. F. B. Pittman, county agent, who is general manager of the county fair, and it helps considerably in our work spurring our efforts to greater activity.

"We are particularly fortunate," says Mr. Pittman, "in succeeding in getting Mr. R. H. Pate, of the Extension Department of the Mississippi A. & M. College, to deliver the address of the day and to act as judge of the agricultural products and livestock. Mr. Pate is well known in South Mississippi and over Hancock county, having appeared before our people and addressed them on various occasions. His ability well fits the occasion, as he fully understands the work and our problems here."

Letter from J. El Ruff, Emergency District Agent.

Jackson, Miss., Sept. 19, 1919.

Mr. Frank B. Pittman, Bay St. Louis, Miss. Dear Mr. Pittman—I am in receipt of a Hancock county fair catalogue and premium list. It is well gotten up and shows clearly that you have given careful thought to the distribution of premiums.

Arrangements have been made with Mr. R. H. Pate to be with you on both days of your fair. Mr. Pate is a competent judge and has had a great deal of experience in judging both agriculture and livestock. One or two years he judged the Mississippi State Fair.

In looking over the premium list of the Mississippi State Fair, I notice that \$300 is offered for the best general agricultural exhibits. This exhibit to be made by a county and preferably by the county agent. Since your fair will be held on October 9th and 10th, a convenient time before the Mississippi State Fair, I am wondering if you would not be interested in bringing the best products from your county fair to the State Fair. I feel sure that you would win enough premiums to pay all expenses on the exhibit, however, this is merely a suggestion and I want you to do whatever you think best. Quite a number of our agents are going to put on county exhibits. In the event you are interested please write me at once so that I can reserve a booth for your exhibit.

Trusting that you may have a good fair, with a large attendance, I am Yours very truly

J. E. RUFF

Rev. Dr. Thomas B. Clifford Receives Call from Algiers Pulpit.

When shown the following article from Thursday morning's New Orleans Times-Picayune, Dr. Clifford said to The Echo that yes, it was true he had received a call from the Algiers church, but the matter was so fresh and so little discussed that he was surprised it had already reached the press. My going away, said Dr. Clifford, would largely depend on the view the Bishop would take of the matter; that it was left to him to say whether he could be transferred from one diocese to another. Continuing he said: The pay would not attract me to leave here. The only compensation that would attract is the larger field to work in the Master's vineyard. The article from the T-P follows:

Rev. Thomas B. Clifford, rector of Christ Church, Bay St. Louis, Miss., probably will succeed Rev. J. S. Vail, whose resignation becomes effective December 1 as rector of the Mt. Olivet Church of Algiers. Dr. Vail will succeed Rev. Clarence W. Bispham of the Free Church of the Annunciation, Camp and Race streets, whose resignation takes effect October 1.

The vestrymen of the Mt. Olivet Church sent an offer to Dr. Clifford Wednesday. The Mississippi clergyman, vestryman said, is an eloquent preacher and a good organizer. They said they believe their chances for obtaining him good. He also will preach at St. John's Mission Chapel, Third and Annunciation streets.

Rev. Dr. Bispham recently left New Orleans aboard the passenger steamship Creole for New York. He will spend some time in Boston, later traveling time to Japan and thence to the Holy Land.

GULFPORT MARBONS BUY NEW BUILDING.

Pay \$20,000 for Two-Story Brick Building at 14th and 24th.

The Gulfport Marbons have purchased the two-story brick building at the corner of Fourteenth and 24th streets, which was formerly the property of the late J. B. Smith.

HANCOCK COUNTY FAIR IS OF N. O. FEATURES GIVEN TO N. O. FIRM. BAY ST. LOUIS HOME

O. Times-Picayune is Authority for Announcement of Contract for Closed Road Lot.

WORK WILL BE FINISHED TO RAPID COMPLETION, SAYS KERR.

Assistant Louisiana State Highway Engineer, C. M. Ker, has been authorized to complete the contract for the Hancock County Fair, which is to be held in Bay St. Louis, Miss., on October 9th and 10th.

Contract for the work has been let to A. B. Blakeney and Co., operating jointly with Hampton Reynolds. Building of the road will be under supervision of the State engineers.

This for completion of this road was taken up some time ago, but no section was taken up to the condition of the part of the road already paved. A few days recently were asked and engineers of the State Highway Department made a survey of the road, its condition, requirements and other details in order to determine the approximate cost of the work in advancing the bids.

Three miles of the road have been completed near Chief Menteur and has been laid for a distance of nine miles this side of the completed section. Drainage basins have been cut and work to be started this week will be the laying of flag for the remainder of the distance.

"Work will be rushed on the road and we hope to complete it within a few months," said Mr. Kerr. "However, we expect some little delays in getting materials on account of shortage of cars. We have twelve months in which to complete the work, but hope to have it finished before that time."

Funds for the project are raised through a bond issue of 700,000, one half being used to finance the Chief Menteur road, and the other half from New Orleans to Hammond.

Plans for the State Highway Department include a ferry across the Gulf of Mexico, from the Gulf of Mexico to Mobile.

BOND ISSUE FOR ROADS TO BE ASKED IN MISSISSIPPI SOON.

Twenty-Five Million Dollars Amount Set by State Highway Department to Be Asked of Legislature.

STATE-WIDE CAMPAIGN FOR GOOD ROADS SUGGESTED.

Federal Government Would Give Like Amount, Making Fifty Million Dollars for Mississippi Highways.

The January session of the Mississippi Legislature will be asked to authorize a bond issue of \$25,000,000 for good roads, according to information given at Jackson yesterday by the Mississippi Highway Commission. This issuance of bonds will be conditioned upon the receiving of an equal amount from the federal government.

A call will be issued from Jackson within the next few days for a meeting of good roads enthusiasts to be held at Jackson during the State Fair, when the Mississippi Good Roads Association will be reorganized and the outline of the proposed measure discussed. All members elect of the Legislature will be invited, and already the highway commission claims that many have given their assurance that they will support the measure.

The plan to be presented provides for a sinking fund to be created by a special levy, tax on automobiles, based on horsepower. Ten years only will be needed to retire the entire bond issue, according to members of the commission.

The money would be spent for a State system of good highways to be built under direction of the State highway engineer and his assistants. No attempt has been made to total county bond issues passed for road work in the past few months, but it is known that they run far into the millions, and added to the \$50,000,000 State and Federal funds, would give Mississippi one of the finest highway systems in the country.

Many other States have tried the State bond issue plan, with the principal and interest taken care of by a special tax on automobiles, and have found it feasible.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. Spor left for New Orleans Tuesday, in which city they have taken their residence in General Poinchard street, and intend to stay in Bay St. Louis next week.

Hancock County Bank

OF BAY ST. LOUIS, MISS.,
Including its branches at Pass Christian and Pearlport, Miss.,
ON SEPTEMBER 12, 1919.
RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$232,277.69
Overdrafts	619.44
U. S. Bonds, Certificates of Indebtedness and W. S. S.	137,250.62
Stocks, Bonds and Warrants	162,233.90
Banking houses, furniture and fixtures	21,426.65
Other real estate	8,811.16
Suspense account	40.00
Demand loans secured by stocks and bonds listed on New York & New Orleans Stock exchanges	\$1201.00
Cash and sight exchange	189,988.88
Total	834,509.35

LIABILITIES

Capital	40,000.00
Surplus	46,250.00
Undivided profits	143,557.87
Deposits	733,556.04
Certified checks	310.94
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I, H. S. Weston, president of the Hancock County Bank, of Bay St. Louis, Miss., do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, full and exact statement of the assets and liabilities of said bank, including its branches at Pass Christian, Miss., and Pearlport, Miss., on the day and date named therein.

Correct—Attest—
R. C. ENGMAN,
CARL MARSHALL, Directors

State of Mississippi—Hancock County.
Sworn to and subscribed to before me by H. S. Weston, President, this 18th day of September, A. D. 1919.
J. A. BREATH,
(SEAL)
J. P. and ex-officio Notary Public.

STATEMENT OF The Financial Condition of The MERCHANTS BANK,

located at Bay St. Louis, in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, at the close of business

SEPTEMBER 12, 1919.

made to the Board of Bank Examiners.

Loans and discounts	334,890.95
U. S. Bonds, Certificates of Indebtedness and W. S. S.	738.18
Stocks, Bonds and Warrants	162,233.90
Banking houses, furniture and fixtures	21,426.65
Other real estate	8,811.16
Suspense account	40.00
Demand loans secured by stocks and bonds listed on New York & New Orleans Stock exchanges	\$1201.00
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LIABILITIES

Capital stock	40,000.00
Surplus Fund	46,250.00
Undivided profits, less amount paid for interest, taxes and current expenses	143,557.87
Deposits	733,556.04
Certified checks	310.94
Total	834,509.35

Correct—JOHN GOSNOLD, Directors
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
County of Hancock
Sworn to and subscribed to before me by H. S. Weston, President, this 23rd day of September, A. D. 1919.
J. A. BREATH,
(SEAL)
J. P. and ex-officio Notary Public.

FOR SALE.

STEIN'S EARLY FLAT DUTCH
Cabbage plant, Cor. Third and Ballentine streets, next door to R. W. Webb School.

A NEW PERFECTION 2-BURNER
Oil stove, and oven; Mrs. Trapolin, St. Charles and beach.

ONE UPRIGHT PIANO; IN FIRST-
class condition, and one beautiful china chest, cheap. Mrs. Otto Sange, Carroll avenue.

SPLIT STOVE WOOD, 14-INCH
lengths. Apply by telephone to No. 161-W.

Chancery Summons—No. 2252.
The State of Mississippi:
To E. A. Cargoe: You are commanded to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock in said State, on the fourth Monday of October, A. D. 1919, to defend the suit in said court of Theresa Cargoe, being a suit for divorce, wherein you are defendant.

Chancery Summons—No. 2253.
The State of Mississippi:
To Henry W. Olson: You are commanded to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock in said State, on the fourth Monday of October, A. D. 1919, to defend the suit in said court of Maybelle Olson, being a suit for divorce, wherein you are defendant.

Chancery Summons—No. 2256.
The State of Mississippi:
To Philomene Ackers: You are commanded to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock in said State, on the fourth Monday of October, A. D. 1919, to defend the suit in said court of Charles Ackers, Jr., wherein you are a defendant.

WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

Need Help to Pass the Crisis Safely—Prove that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Can be Relied Upon.

Dr. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a safe, reliable remedy for all the ailments of middle age. It is a natural, vegetable-based formula that has helped millions of women in the United States and abroad. It is a safe, reliable remedy for all the ailments of middle age. It is a natural, vegetable-based formula that has helped millions of women in the United States and abroad.

Women who suffer from nervousness, "heat flashes," backache, headaches, and "the blues" should try this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Heal Itching Skins With Cuticura

Experience. Miss Sentiment—Were you ever disappointed in love? Eligible Widow—Two and a half times. Miss Sentiment—Two and a half times. Eligible Widow—Yes, twice, married and once rejected.—Boston Post.

How's This? We offer \$100.00 for any case of Catarrh, Gonorrhea, or Syphilis. Dr. J. C. Chasey & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Mean Thing. Edith—How do you like my new photographs, dear? Marie—Why, one of them is very pretty and the other is quite a good likeness.

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old-purged-for infants and children, and see that it bears the signature of J. C. Chasey & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

A yellowish-white "control" his tongue ought to do a lot of steady work. Penetration the silver lining of war clouds.

FREE SAMPLES. The quick relief Vacher-Balm gives for Catarrh, Nervous Headache, and many pains, is so marvelous that it pays us to give away FREE Samples, where it is unknown. Write for a Free Sample and agent's prices, while this offer lasts. W. Vacher, Inc., New Orleans, La.

Wagering Confidence. "Figures won't lie," declared the statistician. "Maybe you're right," answered the and-misered officer. "And yet, somehow, I can't put explicit faith in the numbers that go up on a taxicab register."

HAD TO GIVE UP. Was Almost Frantic With the Pain and Suffering of Kidney Complaint. Doan's Made Her Well.

Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, 100 State St., Franklin, Pa., says: "A cold started my kidney trouble. My back began to ache and go sore, and I was unable to do my work. I tried many remedies, but nothing helped. I then tried Doan's Kidney Pills, and in a few days I was able to get on my feet. I am now well and happy."

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ROBBER HIGHWAYS

MAINTAIN ROAD AFTER BUILT

Improper Methods Have Placed Economic Types in Disrepute, Says Colorado Expert

Prof. D. B. House, of the Colorado Agricultural College, is a firm believer in the importance of maintaining a road after it is built. He supplies the following, taken from "The Engineering News-Record," and says of it: "It is so true and hits the nail so squarely that I quote it direct."

"The tendency in road improvement is to select types of roads which require very little annual maintenance. The general feeling among laymen seems to be that when a road surface requires some annual maintenance to keep it in good shape, it is an expensive type and should be avoided. Yet, if the interest on investment and the repairs are taken into consideration, the cheaper wearing surface may in many cases prove to be the more satisfactory and economical."

"It is not uncommon to see roads of a good type constructed, and then, after they begin to show signs of wear, to see them neglected entirely or some method of repair or maintenance imposed which has been found by long practice to be defective. When we see mud holes in earth roads filled with rips, crushed stone or cinders, it is not the engineer's fault that an enormous price is paid for the repair material; the road engineer knows that proper drainage, and repairing with earth from the side of the road, are the economical methods of maintenance."

"Old gravel and macadam roads are often repaved by filling ruts and depressions with inferior material that is readily displaced by traffic, or ground to dust. Bituminous surfaces are often patched, if patched at all, with loose stone or gravel, and in some cases with concrete."

"The bones of the road are distorted, the pavements are torn, and the early stages of a road are a bad case never will walk again, and a rather bad case always will have difficulty in walking."

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VIENNA DYING ON FEET

London. Dr. Ethel Williams, a New Zealand doctor of 30 years' experience, recently has returned to England from Vienna, where she heard so much about the conditions of disease in Austria that she decided to see for herself what those conditions really were. She spent a week in Vienna visiting the hospitals and the school kitchens, studying medical statistics, interviewing representative people, and seeing as much as she could of the city. Speaking to a Manchester Guardian representative, she said:

"What impressed me most was the appalling condition of every old person I saw, and of 95 per cent of the children. The old people were like walking death. There were so many things, the people, they cannot digest. The mortality among the old has increased by 150 per cent."

"What struck me most when walking about the streets was that there were no toddlers. Children of three and even four years were carried by their mothers. The children did not run, about, or shout, or quarrel. It was four days before I saw a child playing."

"Most Children Emaciated. At least 95 per cent of the practically well children were painfully emaciated, with discolored circles around their sunken eyes, and the tendons of their necks showing like those of old people. Even middle-class children have these scrawny necks, and when they run their cheeks flap like those of old people. But they seldom run. They are all timid and nervous."

"The scene in the out-patient department at the biggest state children's hospital was pitiful, no sound or attempt to play. The children sat quietly on their mothers' knees, or against a wall."

"I saw several cases of osteomalacia, a disease so rare before the war that the only two cases I had ever seen had been shown to me as a curiosity. It seems to come from lack of fresh food, and there have been 200 cases in Vienna and I hear of another epidemic in German town."

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FAMINE IN MEN TO FIGHT FIRES

Spokane, Wash.—One of the biggest "industries" of the northwest this summer is the fighting of forest fires.

"A good lumberman, with two strong arms and a willingness to work, looks as good as a million dollars to the officials of the United States forestry service, and the big lumber concerns, who are losing vast values in timber."

"There is a famine in men. That is the great reason for the forest fires, started by careless campers or lightning storms, have been able to spread over many miles of America's richest lumber lands and cause damage that will not be replaced for a generation."

"One large fire in the Park river district, northern Idaho, burst entirely beyond control and spread over forty-five square miles of territory without showing the least signs of dying down. Men to fight it were few and far between."

"Spokane, as well as the coast cities, the forest service is waging a recruiting campaign similar to those carried on during the war. It is a war against flames almost as destructive to America as the flames that broke out in Europe."

"Lumberjacks, those big-shouldered veterans of the forest, make the finest fire-fighters. This summer they have had little chance to engage in their regular work of cutting timber and have bent all their efforts to saving the forests that house the nation."

"The forest service maintains a vast force of men. As soon as smoke is discerned the news is flashed to headquarters, a crew is hastily recruited and equipped and sent into the burning area with full supplies of food, tools and bedding."

"But they have little chance to use the bedding. Fire fighting is an all-night all-day job."

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Read my guarantee! If bilious, constipated or head-achy you need not take nasty, sickening, dangerous calomel to get straightened up.

Every druggist in town—your druggist and everybody's druggist has no secret about taking off in the sale of calomel. They all have the same idea. Dodson's Liver Tone is taking its place.

Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tone is perfectly safe and gives better results," said a prominent local druggist. Dodson's Liver Tone is personally guaranteed by every druggist who sells it. A large bottle doesn't cost very much, but if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, you have only

to ask for your money back. Dodson's Liver Tone is a pleasant-tasting, purely vegetable, remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine, no biliousness, no headache, no acid stomach or constipated bowels. It doesn't gripe or cause inconvenience all the next day like violent calomel. Take a dose of calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak, sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work! Take Dodson's Liver Tone instead and feel fine, full of vigor and ambition.—Adv.

WINTERSMITH'S CHILL TONIC

SOLD FOR 50 YEARS. ALSO A FINE GENERAL STRENGTHENING TONIC. Sold by All Drug Stores.

Down Come Prices. Dearly—I saw in a Main street window about 100 articles on which the price had been reduced 50 per cent. Joan (exclaimed)—But you've been drinking! But what were they? Dearly—Knitting needles.—Buffalo Express.

Freshen a Heavy Skin. With the antiseptic, facelifting Cuticura Talcum Powder, an exquisitely scented, convenient, economical face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume. Renders other perfumes superfluous. One of the Cuticura Toilet Trio (Soap, Ointment, Talcum).—Adv.

Desperate Remedy. "I have a fine remedy for the high cost of living, but it's desperate and I hesitate to try it." "What is it?" "Just to quit eating food altogether."

A torpid liver condition prevents proper assimilation. Take your liver with Wright's Indian Vegetable Tonic. It acts gently and surely. Ask for it.

OLD-TIME RULES OF CIVILITY. Undoubtedly Were Taken Seriously in 1675, but Would Seem Somewhat Elementary Today.

There was published in 1675 a curious book called "The Rules of Civility," and one of the things impressed upon the reader is that "being in discourse with a man, he is no less than ridiculous to pull him by the buttons, to play with the hanging of his belt, or to touch him now and then in the stomach."

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CITY ECHOES

—Soon it will be no longer the "high cost of living." It will be the agony of longing.

Miss Mary Perkins returned home from a mission from her classes at Gainesville, Ga., for an indefinite visit.

—Don't let the shrinkage of the dollar prevent your paying up that delinquent subscription you owe us. It still goes at par in this shop.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leo W. Seal have moved to Carroll avenue, where they are charmingly domiciled and are "at home" to their friends.

—Mr. Lamar Otis was a business visitor to Bay St. Louis yesterday in the interest of the H. Weston Lumber Company, at Logtown.

—If Dame Rumor is correct, and knowing ones say she is, there will be quite a number of weddings in Bay St. Louis in the immediate future.

—Mrs. A. Polatsch and daughters have closed their summer home on the Bay front, and returned to their New Orleans home Tuesday evening for the winter.

—Mrs. John Henry has moved from her front street domicile to one of her own properties in Nicholson avenue, where she has considerable property and wishes to give it her personal supervision.

—Mr. John Osoinach received a beautiful new six-cylinder Chalmers car during the week for family use. It is a handsome car, and Mr. Osoinach is receiving the plaudits of his friends and acquaintances on the successful purchase.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Lefebvre and daughters came out from New Orleans a few days since and will remain until Monday, enjoying the delightful early fall weather of Bay St. Louis. They have many friends here and their visit is always a source of mutual pleasure.

—Dr. C. L. Horton is the possessor of a handsome new Dodge car, to be used in his practice, which is extensive and carries him over wide territory. The new run-about is generally admired for its appearance and many features. Claude Monti, local agent, making the sale.

—Fred Banders, Sr., expert oil driller, who has charge of the Mississippi Oil Production, which is largely made up of coast citizens, report excellent progress in drilling on the company's property in Webster parish, La., according to officials of the company who reside on the coast.

—Mrs. Livaudais and family, occupants of the Trawick place during the season ended, returned to their home in New Orleans this morning, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Mendes.

The property, recently purchased by Mrs. L. M. Gex, will be shortly occupied by the family, after a renovation of the interior.

—After a stay here of a while, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Driver left during the latter part of the week for their home in Monticello, Miss.

Mr. Driver recently emerged from quite a spell of an illness and came here on a visit to his native home for rest from office cares and to recuperate. We are glad to note he returned home health restored.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Glover and children left Thursday for New Orleans, where they intend spending the winter, stopping with their relatives, Mrs. A. Matanga and family, in Canal street. The departure of Mr. and Mrs. Glover is generally regretted. Their son, Cyril, has entered St. Stanislaus College and will continue his studies here.

—Edward Hines, of Chicago, prominent and successful businessman and owner of a number of industries in the South, particularly in this section, is visiting in this section. M. B. Hudson, E. W. McGraw, Carl R. Nelson compose the Hines party. They will visit Kilm, Purvis, Lumberton, Gulfport, Hattiesburg and other local points.

—Mr. and Mrs. John D. Grace and their accomplished daughters, Misses Virginia and May, who have been traveling for the past few weeks, are present at Los Angeles, California, and will remain there a while enjoying the golden season of the year.

Later they will go to San Francisco thence to New York for a while during the winter before returning home.

—Daintily-gotten up cards have been received in this city from Dr. and Mrs. Clinton Reed, of Atlanta, Ga., announcing the arrival at their home of Carolyn Eloise, which happy event dates since September 8th.

This announcement carries local interest since Mrs. Reed before her marriage was Miss Leah Guerra, of Bay St. Louis, and the baby's grandmother is Mrs. H. P. Mattox, who is visiting in Atlanta for the present.

Dr. and Mrs. Reed have the best wishes and congratulations of their friends and acquaintances here who join their best wishes with those from elsewhere.

—Karl Schneider, proprietor of Schneider's Garage, left for McComb City Wednesday afternoon, by rail and returned home overland, driving a new Cadillac, which he bought for the Hancock county Board of Supervisors (two 5-ton Packard trucks, which the federal government has given to the county through the activities of President H. S. Weston, president of the board, and through the instrumentality of State Highway Taylor Kramer. These trucks are from the army supply, which, now that the war is over, are being distributed to counties who can find use for them.

—Invitations have been received in this city from Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Overall, of Nashville, Tenn., announcing the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Katrina, to Mr. C. T. McDonald, of Bay St. Louis, and son of Major and Mrs. W. A. McDonald. The happy event will take place Thursday evening, October 9th, at 8 o'clock, at the West End Methodist church. Miss Overall having visited here formerly at the home of Judge and Mrs. Will T. McDonald as guest of their daughter, Miss Pauline is no stranger to Bay St. Louis and has many friends who will welcome her here, where the couple will make their future home, to reside in Main street, at the intersection of Marine avenue. In the evening the church will have a social and concert.

CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS SELLS GOVERNMENT FOODSTUFFS RETAIL.

Two-Day Sale Held at City Hall During Week of Left-Over Government Provisions Proves Popular With Public.

WILL HELP TO RELIEVE THE HIGH COST OF LIVING.

City of Bay St. Louis Owes a Debt of Appreciation of Mayor R. W. Webb Who Was Instrumental in Getting Sale.

City of Bay St. Louis, Grocer, R. W. Webb, manager. That was the style of a new firm doing business here during the week. And what a business the new firm did! It was all cash and no deliveries.

A car load of provisions from the army depot at New Orleans arrived here during the early part of the week, and was sold by the city of Bay St. Louis, at the City Hall, to the public at actual cost plus freight.

This was made possible through the instrumentality of Mayor R. W. Webb, who procured the provisions on consignment from the U. S. government, and sold to the Bay St. Louis public.

The "store" opened Thursday and continued two days. Needless to say it was well patronized. There was sugar, corn, peas, bacon, corn beef, and other articles. These were readily sold, the low prices inducing many purchasers to buy in case lots.

In addition to Mayor personally supervising the sale for two days, there were a number of persons who worked the two days, without pay, volunteering their assistance in the interest of helping to lower the high cost of living. Mayor Webb is especially thankful to these and has requested The Echo to express his appreciation of their help. These are:

Miss Geraldine Ames, cashier; S. J. Ladner, F. H. Egloff, George Heitzmann, F. J. McGinn, W. H. McDaniels, John Basford, Mrs. McMillan, Miss Ella Fayard, Bert Sigerson, Johnny Egloff, Master Ramond, Albert Jones.

Without the assistance of these good people the sale at cost would not have been possible.

While Mayor Webb is thanking the people for their good work in the cause of the Echo, he is not amiss to thank Mayor Webb for his effort and success in putting on the food sale. He certainly deserves it.

Ye Tea Cup Inn.

There will be informally opened on Thursday, October 2nd, "The Tea Cup Inn," exchange and rest room, and the people of the Bay are cordially invited to take advantage of its many uses. Meet your friends there; have a cup of tea or a sandwich. Read a magazine, take a book home from the library.

Should you care to entertain, a room is ready with refreshments to your order. We will display your handwork. Our out-of-town friends will find a dressing room, easy chair and writing materials.

Open from 10:30 to 5:30, Front street—head of Main.

You are cordially invited to be opening on Thursday, October 2nd, from 2 to 5 o'clock.

—Housewives, this is for you. You enjoy making the rounds of the local stores in your search for the most economical purchases to satisfy your needs and desires. In these days of high prices and stonch economy you keenly enjoy the privilege of slicing off a penny or two. Before you make your next rounds go carefully over the ads in The Echo—make note of the different offerings, and look them up personally, and may be the rare distinction of slicing off a couple of cents—and that is going some these days. The ads turn the trick.

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Biloxi, Miss., Sept. 24.—Ben Bayley, assistant lighthouse keeper at Chandeleur Islands, fourteen miles in the Gulf came to Biloxi yesterday, stated that during the recent hurricane, which passed outside the island, the wind blew at a rate of six to eight miles an hour and the water rose upon the island four feet high. This he says was the highest rise then has occurred since the last big storm several years ago. Mr. Bayley also stated that members of the crew of the auxiliary schooner Talcott, which was forced to drop anchor outside of the island, rowed eighteen miles in a life boat in order to get communication with Gulfport from which place a tug boat went to her assistance and towed the vessel in port.

Early Scarce for Road Material.

The Memphis chamber of commerce has written the Biloxi chamber asking them to adopt resolutions complaining to the State highway commission regarding road building material and also in opposition to the proposed townsite bill which provides for new means of distributing Federal aid for roads. The matter will be taken up at a regular meeting of the local commercial organization to be held Monday night.

Captain "Bob" Banks.

Courty and chivalrous gentleman, brave and intrepid soldier, artist, journalist, faithful historian, good citizen and loyal friend, this community unites in sorrow over the passing away of Captain Banks, whose death occurred last week at Gulfport. For the past several years his physical body has been failing, but the intellectual powers of the man remained undimmed to the end. Among his last work worthy of preservation with the history of the past was his series of articles for the Commercial Appeal, entitled, "Famous Mississippians." He deserves to live among the great men he so faithfully portrayed for the inspiration of those of our present time—Columbus Commercial.

FOR SALE—One Underwood typewriter, good as new. George J. Muller, Bay St. Louis, Miss.

—Miss Adele Rexach, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. John Rexach, left during the week for New Orleans, where she will resume her studies at Nwcomb College next week.

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The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. A certified check of \$1000.00 or other evidence of good faith will be required.

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